GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUANCE SYSTEM

Mayor's Order 2007-270 December 21, 2007

SUBJECT: Appointment – Interim Attorney General for the District of Columbia

ORIGINATING AGENCY:

Office of the Mayor

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the District of Columbia by section 422(2) of of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act of 1973, as amended, 87 Stat. 790, Pub. L. No. 93-198, D.C. Official Code § 1-204.22(2), it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

- 1. **PETER J. NICKLES** is appointed Interim Attorney General for the District of Columbia and shall serve in that capacity at the pleasure of the Mayor.
- 2. This Order supersedes Mayor's Order 2007-86, dated April 9, 2007.

3. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** This Order shall be effective on January 6, 2008.

RIAN M. FENTY MAYOR

ATTEST

STEPHANIE D. SCOTT

SECRETARY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Legal Counsel Division

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Tabatha Braxton

Staff Assistant

Office of the Secretary

FROM:

Wayne C. Witkowski

Deputy Attorney General Legal Counsel Division

DATE:

December 21, 2007

SUBJECT: Legal Sufficiency Review of Draft Mayor's Order Appointing Peter J.

Nickels as Interim Attorney General

(AM-07-870)

This responds to your request today that this Office review the above-referenced draft Mayor's Order (Order) for legal sufficiency.

The Order would appoint Peter J. Nickels as the Interim Attorney General for the District of Columbia.

Subject to technical review by the Office of Documents and Administrative Issuances, I find the attached revised copy of the Order to be legally sufficient.²

Should you have any questions regarding this memorandum, please contact either Mr. Grimaldi at 724-5198, or me at 724-5524.

WCW/jjg

Attachment (as stated)

¹The Order is authorized by section 422(2) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 790, D.C. Official Code § 1-204.22(2) (2006 Repl.).

² The revised copy reflects the comments of Assistant Attorney General John J. Grimaldi, II, Legal Counsel Division.